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	Application Number	08/918,537		
	Filing Date	August 22, 1997		
	Group Art Unit	1632		
	Examiner Name	Q. Li		
	Title: <i>Mammalian Common Lymphoid Progenitor Cell</i>			

Sir:

This amendment is responsive to the Restriction Requirement dated June 21, 2002, which set a one-month period for response. Applicants herein elect the invention of Group I, claims 1-11, for examination.

Applicants submit that all of the claims are now in condition for allowance, which action is requested. If the Examiner finds that a Telephone Conference would expedite the prosecution of this application, she is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number provided.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0815, order number STAN-064.

Respectfully submitted,

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